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## "AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUDITING OF STATE AGENCIES."

- 1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and 2 internal references accordingly:
- 3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2009) (a) The Auditors of Public
- 4 Accounts, within available appropriations, shall audit the books and
- 5 accounts of any municipality that receives state funding in an amount
- 6 that is more than thirty-three per cent of the annual operating budget
- 7 of such municipality. Each such audit of a municipality shall include
- 8 any recommendations for management efficiencies and financial
- 9 improvements.
- 10 (b) The auditors shall issue a request for proposals for independent
- 11 auditors to conduct the audits required under subsection (a) of this
- 12 section. As used in this subsection, "independent auditor" means a
- 13 public accountant who is licensed to practice in the state and meets the
- 14 independence standards included in generally accepted government

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15 auditing standards."